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#### LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Miss Allie Horn has returned from a visit to relatives in Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. L. Z. Gordon of Atlanta is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. J. E. Collins is in Charlotte visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Redfern and Miss Nellie Rorie left today for the mountains.

Miss Belle Higgins of Charlotte is spending a few days here with her aunt, Mrs. Ida Broom.

Mr. E. H. Trull of Columbia came up to the Fourth and spent a while with relatives.

Miss Lena Baxley of Gibson spent Wednesday with Miss Nancy Lowe, on her way to Bristol, Tenn.

Capt. T. T. Capehart returned yesterday from Kittrell, where he has been with his father, who was injured by a fall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Thomas of Charlotte came down for the celebration. Mrs. Thomas is spending some time with her mother, Mrs. Henry Austin.

There will be a Sunday school rally and Children's Day exercises at Zoar church on the Pageland circuit, July 15th. The public is invited to come out and bring well filled baskets.

Rev. L. M. White, pastor of the First Baptist church of Monroe, will preach at Macedonia Baptist church (colored) near Baker's Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. All friends, both white and colored, are invited.—J. S. Simon, pastor.

The Eastern Star ladies who operated the lunch stand next door to Collins & Hargett, had a big day on the Fourth. They cleared \$125, which will go to the building fund of the Masonic temple.

Mr. L. W. Mullis of New Salem brought with him to Monroe on the fourth the twig on an apple tree which looked like a big fruit year. It was from a tree of the seedless variety and had fourteen apples on it.

Mr. J. A. Helms, a native of this county, but who has lived in Concord for eleven years, spent the Fourth with us. Mr. Helms has a good position with one of the Concord mills. He expects to come down in August to visit his father, Mr. S. J. Helms, at Wingate.

The Woman's Missionary Societies of the Presbyterian, Methodist and Baptist churches will hold joint prayer services one at each church, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, at 5 o'clock. Tuesday at the Presbyterian, Thursday at the Baptist and Friday at the Methodist church.

The Journal received a news letter from the Corinth community Wednesday, but owing to the fact that it was unsigned it had to be thrown in the waste basket. The Journal takes delight in printing letters from our subscribers, but for forms sake we must have the names of the writers. It is not necessary that they be printed, but we must have them for our protection.

Mr. Gerald Harris, brother of Mr. L. L. Harris of Monroe, was fatally hurt in an automobile wreck at McCauley, Texas, July 4th. Mr. Harris was a native of Chesterfield county, and was about 40 years old. He had been in Texas nearly 20 years. Mr. L. L. Harris left at once for Willis Point, Texas, where the body was carried for burial. The deceased is survived by his wife and four children.

Mr. Frank Seerest, who carries the mail on route 5, says the people on his route certainly believe in reading papers. Some of the families take all four of the county papers and then a daily paper and a magazine or two thrown in on top of that. Another marked improvement, said Mr. Seerest, was the fact that the circulation of the farm journals was rapidly increasing. Route 5 is not an exception, as other mail carriers state that the same conditions apply to their routes.

Mr. G. I. R. Lentz, manager of the Rex Theatre, devised a unique advertising scheme for the Fourth of July. He took an old barrel, knocked out the head, and placed screen wire on the top. On the sides of the barrel he had painted in large black letters: "Don't Feed the Snake." When that would catch the eyes of the pedestrians, they would of course look down in the barrel in an attempt to see the snake. But instead of seeing one of the reptile family, they would see the program of the picture show.

Sheriff J. V. Griffith is now driving the fine Oldsmobile car which turned over and killed its owner, who was traveling alone near Cheraw some two months ago. The man was said to be from California. The top and fenders of the car were smashed and other slight damages were made. It looked like a complete wreck and when the executor of the owner came he sold the car at auction on the spot, at a low price, before it was moved. It was bought by a citizen of that section who afterwards traded it to Sheriff Griffith for a Ford touring car and some boot. It is a fine car and Sheriff Griffith got a bargain in it. Its original value was over sixteen hundred dollars.

Mr. F. R. Zorne of Chicago is visiting relatives in Monroe and Chesterfield county.

Mrs. Fred Maness and Miss Effie Haynes are visiting Mrs. Maness' people at Dallas this week.

Miss Mildred Lide of Richland, Ga., will arrive tomorrow to visit Miss Beulah Nance.

Mr. and Mrs. Zimmer Howie and family of Abbeville, S. C., are here for a few days visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. Hal B. Adams has returned from a sanatorium in Richmond, Va., and has resumed his law practice, his health having been much improved.

Dr. H. D. Stewart has been elected trustee of the Monroe Graded Schools to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. J. C. Sikes.

"The Deacon," a comedy in five acts, will be given at Weddington Academy Saturday night, July 8, at 8 o'clock. Admission 15 and 20 cts.

Mr. W. F. Starnes of Buford township has been elected Professor of English at Rutherford College.

Miss Addie Wall of Henrietta and Mrs. A. A. McAllister and little daughter, Margaret, of Barnwell, S. C., are visiting Mrs. Vann Funderburk.

Miss Etta Belk who has been on an extended trip through the north returned to her home near Monroe today.

On Saturday before the third Sunday Children's Day will be observed at Faulks and in the afternoon Mr. B. C. Ashcraft will speak.

Miss Leola Carter, who is taking a business course in King's Business College, Charlotte, spent the weekend and the Fourth with friends and relatives here and at Mineral Springs.

One of the interesting visitors here Tuesday was Mr. C. Broom of Waxhaw, one of the oldest citizens of the county. He was born Feb. 17, 1831, and is still in good health.

Mr. I. F. Plyler brought to The Journal office a twig from a peach tree with eleven fine peaches growing within a space of six inches. It was a pretty bunch.

Dr. Roy Long is in Carlisle, S. C., where he will practice medicine during the summer. He will go to Wilmington, Del., October 1, where he will take a hospital appointment.

Owing to the generosity of the Road Commissioners and Mrs. Charles Iceman, the chaingang celebrated the Fourth in grand style. Lemonade, watermelon, ice cream and cake was the bill of fare.

Misses Elizabeth and Merle Hudson of Charlotte, and Miss Mary Lickie Barron and Mrs. Jack Smith of Lancaster, were the guests of Miss Evelyn Smith Tuesday night for the dance.

Automobiles or other vehicles are not expected to take any part in the parade tomorrow afternoon when the Shriners arrive. Shriners and their ladies are requested to walk to the station to meet the Shriners.

Three train loads of the Virginia soldiers passed through Monroe last night on their way to the Mexican border. The war situation has quieted down and Cerranza has expressed the desire to have a peaceable settlement of all difficulties. That is the kind of news that our government has been looking for and there is a general belief that there will not be much more trouble. The United States will continue to move soldiers to the border as before planned.

#### Kicked Him Through a Plate Glass.

The only flying that was done in Monroe on the Fourth was the dash that Mr. E. O. Cook made through the plate glass front of the Tharp hardware store when he was hurled through the air by the feet of a frantic horse which had fallen to the pavement. The horse had made a bee line for the door of the store. When he started to run somewhere north of the square Mr. Roscoe Long and his wife and children were in the buggy. As the horse dashed off Mr. Hamp Starnes, standing near by, seized the animal's bit and swung to the horse's head like grim death, and but for his courage and determination there might have been a great disaster in the crowded street. Mr. Starnes hung to him and turned him out of the street toward the hardware store. As he was about to enter the door Mr. Oscar Moore ran out and also seized the bit and the horse was thrown to the pavement. Mr. Cook began to unloose the harness and the flying feet of the horse struck him just above the stomach and sent him sky-larking through the window. A piece of the glass struck a son of Mr. Jeff Sutton who was standing near and cut a deep and dangerous gash in his back. He was more seriously hurt than Mr. Cook, though the latter was bruised up a good deal and has not yet been able to work.

#### LOOK GOOD—FEEL GOOD.

No one can either feel good nor look good while suffering from constipation. Get rid of that tired, draggy, lifeless feeling by a treatment of Dr. King's New Life Pills. Buy a box today, take one or two pills tonight. In the morning that stuffed, dull feeling is gone and you feel better at once. 25c. at your druggist.

#### Big Visit of Atlanta Shriners.

Monroe Shriners are busy today preparing for the coming of the Atlanta Shriners, who will arrive here tomorrow afternoon at 6 p. m. The street coming up from the depot has already been decorated with streamers, and other extensive decorations will be made. The second train, also bearing Atlanta Shriners, will arrive at 6:10 p. m.

The parade formation will then be made. Potentate W. P. Andrews with family will head the march in an automobile, followed by one other machine containing such nobility as Potentate Andrews may designate. Then following the two machines in order: Yaarab Band, Yaarab Patrol, Yaarab Chanters, Yaarab Nobles and their ladies, and Oasis nobles and their ladies.

The nobles will then march to the courthouse square where exercises will be held. The Yaarab patrol will drill fifteen minutes, and the Yaarab band will play for fifteen minutes. Mr. R. W. Lemmond will then present Potentate Andrews in a five minutes' speech. After Mr. Lemmond's speech there will be a general hand-shaking and meeting of the Monroe people and the Atlanta Shriners.

The committee in charge of the program have given this caution: "Don't be afraid of these Atlanta fellows. Walk right up and give them a Monroe welcome."

The program will then close with the distribution of Monroe souvenirs. On one of the souvenir cards is attached a Buffalo nickel, with the following poem, written by Mr. T. B. Laney:

**Monroe's Greeting.**  
We greet you, Walter Andrews, Georgia's Potentate;  
We greet you with our friendliest smile;  
We greet you with love becoming our State,  
And beg you to tarry awhile.

We extend you the hand of your old home town.  
It is yours, just do as you please,  
We'll tell you of our love, the old love found,  
Now rekindled by the home-coming breeze.

The flaxen haired youth that once roamed our street,  
Is now a leader of Georgia's great men,  
He has tramped boyish ways beneath his feet,  
And has conquered the curses of sin.

He has traveled from the Temple to the Mystic Shrine,  
He has learned the lesson of love,  
He has spoken words of love to the soul that's Thine,  
And pointed them the way above.

Now we greet you again with our fondest pride,  
And with expressions of genuine cheer,  
With emotions of love that we ne'er can hide,  
To our hearts you are precious and dear.

—OASIS SHRINERS.  
There are four hundred of these cards with the Buffalo nickel attached, with other souvenirs enclosed in an envelope, and one will be presented to every member of the Atlanta party.

#### Preparatory Cottage Prayer Meetings.

These prayer meetings will be held in the following homes, beginning Monday of next week at 8 o'clock:  
First Ward, Monday, July 10—Mrs. R. V. Houston, Mrs. Fred Helms, Mrs. Raymond Shute.  
Second Ward, Tuesday, July 11—Mrs. S. O. Blair, Mrs. T. C. Collins, Mrs. M. L. Flow.  
Third Ward, Friday, July 13—Mrs. W. A. Lane, Mrs. Duncan Huntley, Mrs. W. M. Gordon.  
Fourth Ward, Friday, July 14—Mrs. N. S. Matthews, Mrs. W. T. Sellers, Mrs. H. E. Copple, Mrs. Eugene Ashcraft.

#### Presbyterian Church Notes.

You are cordially invited to attend the following services:  
9:45 a. m. Sunday school.  
11 a. m. worship and sermon.  
8 p. m. praise service and sermon.  
The meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E. will be given up during the month of July because of the "Big Meeting."  
Notice the announcement of the Cottage Prayer Meetings, also that of the meetings of the Woman's Societies. Attend all you can of them.—Reporter.

#### Saint Paul's Episcopal Church.

The third Sunday after Trinity, Sunday school and Bible class at ten o'clock.  
At the eleven o'clock service several children are to be baptized, followed by a sermon and celebration of the Holy Communion. Subject of the sermon, "The Most Important Question."  
Evening service at 8 p. m.  
The rector will also hold services and preach at the convict camp at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.  
You are most cordially invited to all of these services.

#### First Baptist Church.

Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45.  
Sunday is Rally Day in our Sunday school and every member of our church and Sunday school is expected to be present.  
Morning sermon: "Monroe's Need of a Revival." Evening sermon: "The Worth of a Man," being the third of a series of sermons on "How Much Are You Worth?"  
Pray for the meeting and for those that are unsaved.  
Good music and a hearty Christian welcome at this church for you.



Potentate S. H. Green

Who will head the North Carolina Delegation of Shriners to Buffalo. He will be accompanied by his daughters, Misses Essie and Wilma Green. They will leave Charlotte Saturday.

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